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WHILE WILSON PLEADS UNION MEN GROW WEARY

*"Iron King" Andy
Is Here and His
Health Is Good*

(By Associated Press.)
Bar Harbor, Me., Aug. 23.—Andrew Carnegie, the iron king, who has just returned from a fishing trip, sent this word to inquirers: "Very well."

In discussing the reports of his illness, a secretary said: "Mr. Carnegie is enjoying very good health."

This well known philanthropist has been in this country for several months. Those who have talked with him recently say he is as vigorous as ever and is still certain that nothing stands in the fact that the interest from his millions mounts yearly, that

LEADERS HAVE HARD WORK
PREVENTING MINORITY
FROM CONTROLLING

PRESIDENT HOLDS A
BIG TRUMP CARD

RAILROADS CAN MEET DEMANDS OF MEN; HE HAS FIGURES TO PROVE IT

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Aug. 23.—The railroad employes' committee showed such marked signs of unrest today at the long delay in negotiations, that leaders are alarmed, and openly expressed fears of their ability to hold them much longer.

A meeting of the men held this morning was thrown into an uproar by the speeches of the minority leaders, who demanded immediate action unless the roads accept the President's plan. Adjournment was secured before a vote could be taken. President Wilson conferred with Senator Newlands and Representative Adamsen of the Senate and House Interstate Commerce committees today. After the conference they said they were ready to push any legislation that is needed.

It is declared in administration circles that the President and the railroad executives seemed to be on the way to an agreement this afternoon.

Trump Card of Wilson.

Washington, Aug. 23.—President Wilson has one big trump card left that he will play in his efforts to force the railroad managers to concede the eight-hour day demanded by their employees. This is an official computation made by the Interstate Commerce Commission showing that the net earnings of the railroads of the country have been increased more than \$200,000,000 annually by the recent 5 per cent increase in freight rates and that if the railroads demands are conceded the cut in expense will not be more than from one-eighth to one-half the increase in net profit.

Up to this time the President has based his suggestion for a compromise between the railroads and their employees upon the broad ground that the eight-hour day is humane and "has the sanction of the judgment of society in its favor." If the railroads remain obdurate and insist upon sending the dispute to arbitration the President will make public all the figures showing that with the great increase in net earnings the roads can well afford to make this concession and stand the increased expense Heavy Increase in Revenue.

The 5 per cent increase in freight rates granted by the Interstate Commerce commission went into effect January 1, 1916. The commission has gathered statistics for the first five months of the year up to May 31 for the first class railroads of the country. These are the largest railroads of the country, those with an annual gross income of more than \$2,000,000. These roads represent more than 26 per cent of the railroad business of the country. The statistics gathered concerning them for the first five months of this year show: Railway operating revenues, \$1,022,204,558.

Railway operating expenses, \$966,556.

Net operating revenue, \$45,572,881.

SAD POLICEMAN CHANGES
SUICIDAL THOUGHT

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 23.—Morose as the result of having resigned from the police force, former Patrolman John Lyons aged 38 years, dove from a 100 foot cliff into a quarry. When he struck the water below, Lyons endeavored to swim to the surface. He swam to a projection on the steep cliff and clung to it for eight hours until rescued.

Will Sell Fair Grounds

Commissioners of the state school land will sell the Oklahoma state fair grounds on September 14th. The land is appraised at \$36,000.

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Battleship Maine Under Brooklyn Bridge.
Going to Sea With Her Citizen Sailors

INCOMES GROW IN PORTO RICO AS SUGAR SOARS

WEALTH POURING INTO
LAPS OF PLANTERS FROM
ALL PARTS OF GLOBE

WASHINGTON REPORTS ARRIVAL OF ARMY WORM

SWITZERLAND IS LOSING
TRADE AS U.S. PRODUCTION IS AUGMENTED

(By Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 23.—No peace overtures have been made to Great Britain by Lord Robert Cecil, minister of war trade and parliamentary under-secretary of foreign affairs, told the House of Commons today in reply to a question.

Of the largest individual incomes recorded for 1915 there were twenty in California and all instances the names of citizens had been accounted for because the names of the British Treasury. This was the largest single income in the six departments reported and it is believed to be equivalent to the average individual income reported to the same authority the year before, which was \$10,000 above \$60,000 total.

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Army Worm Spreads.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Warning to states for the Army worm has been issued by the Department of agriculture to people in the Atlantic states.

Williams, manager of Mr. Hughes' cottonseed Tuesday claimed more than 100,000 acres of his cotton fields in Maryland, Virginia, and the District of Columbia, where only 300 are needed to cover the amount of seed required to plant the cottonseed of the Atlantic states.

The states which are claimed as

carrying the worm are: North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida,

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Another Sea Storm.

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Many Premiums Offered by Citizens

FALL FAIR EVENTS TO BE MOST INTERESTING ONE IN YEARS.

The annual breeding list of the Clinton Fair Association has been issued, for nearly 15,000 regular premiums scheduled in the different departments for products of the farm field and home, making it the most attractive list issued by the Fair association.

By the Capital City Business College:

\$10.00 scholarship to the boy or girl under 21 winning the most points in any and all departments of the fair.

Every article and every kind of work

spent which a boy or girl wins a premium will be counted in this con-

test.

By the Guthrie Milling Company:

For the best loaf of bread baked

from Sun Gold Flour by a woman re-

siding in Guthrie, one 50 pound sack

of Sun Gold Flour; second best, one

25 pound sack of same.

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